

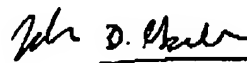
REMARKS**Overview**

Claims 1-8, 10-16, 19-27 and 29-32 are pending in this application. Claims 9, 17, 18, and 28 have been cancelled. Claims 1, 2, 3, 15, 16, 19, 20, 21, 22, and 23 have been amended. Claims 30-32 are new. Claims 1 and 15 have been corrected in regards to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment. The present response is an earnest effort to place all claims in proper form for immediate allowance. Reconsideration and passage to issuance is therefore respectfully requested.

Conclusion

No fees or extensions of time are believed to be due in connection with this amendment; however, consider this a request for any extension inadvertently omitted, and charge any additional fees to Deposit Account No. 26-0084.

Respectfully submitted,



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